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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT
ABANDONED FOR FAILURE TO NOTIFY THE OFFICE OF A FOREIGN
OR INTERNATIONAL FILING (37 CFR 1.137(f))**

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Sir:

The above-identified application became abandoned pursuant to 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(iii) for failure to timely notify the Office of the filing of an application in a foreign country or under a multinational international treaty that requires publication of applications eighteen months after filing. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration date of the forty-five (45) day period set in 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(iii).

**PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.137(f), APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR
REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b).**

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1. Petition fee:

The petition fee for a large entity \$ 1,300.00 is enclosed (37 CFR 1.17(m)).

2. Notice of Foreign or International Filing (35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(iii) and 37 CFR 1.213(c)):

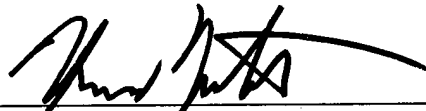
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3. Statement:

The entire delay in filing the required notice of a foreign or international filing from the due date for the required notice until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional.

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Respectfully submitted,



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